PERSONALS

The county board of supervisors met Wednesday of this week.

Clarence Agee, Jr. is a patient in the Virginia Baptist Hospital.

J. C. Caldwell and sons, Jack and Bill spent Monday in Washington.

Mr. and Mrs J. T. Baker, of near Pamplin were visitors in the S. G. Anderson home on Monday.

Mrs. George Rodgers, of Hampden-Sydney is visiting her sister, Mrs. Winnie R. Puckett.

Dr. L. L. Gayle will return tonight from a visit with relatives in Newport News.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Dinkins and son, Moses, were visitors in Roanoke on Saturday.

The Women of the Church will meet at the Presbyterian Church at 7:30 P. M., Wednesday, January 19.

Mrs. S. L. Burks, Mrs. Billy DeFord and Billy DeFord Jr. spent last week in Levittown, Pennsylvania, and New York City.

Miss Ilah Buchanan will leave by plane for Indochina on Saturday, January 15. She will work for the State Department there.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morris and children, of Richmond, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Buchanan.

Dr. and Mrs. Trotter Hyler have moved into the E. J. Paulette home just south of town. Dr. Hyler is the new veterinarian here.

Mrs. Raymond Harris and son Michael, of Portsmouth are spending several weeks with her mother, Mrs. Rachel Cawthorne.

Mrs. W. F. Barbee died Jan. 8, at Baptist Hospital, Winston-Salem, N. C. She was the sister of Mrs. G. B. Buchanan, and a native of Appomattox.

Friends were glad to see Mr. R. L. Burke out last week. On Friday he visited the Bank of Appomattox, and then went in to see the interior of the remodeled drug store.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Buchanan, of Clarksville, Va. and Mr. and Mrs. William Buchanan, of Columbia, S. C., were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Buchanan Sunday.

Mrs. W. P. Ferrell and daughter Miss Beulah Ferrell left Monday night for Roanoke, where they joined Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Crouch for a motor trip to Daytona Beach, Florida.

Cpl. Paul M. Gunter has returned to Ft. Meade, Md., after spending 18 days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gunter, and his wife and daughter, Mrs. Paul M. Gunter and Brenda.

Mrs. J. R. Lawson entertained the Tuesday bridge club at dinner at the Peakway Restaurant, and at bridge at her home Tuesday evening. Top score prize was awarded Mrs. R. W. Stanley, and consolation award went to Mrs. H. B. Pack.

LEGION AUXILIARY

Unit 104 American Legion Auxiliary met Monday night at the Legion Hall. The meeting was opened by the President, Mrs. Ivey Holland and the devotions were led by the Chaplain, Mrs. L. C. McKenzie. Mr. Ivey Holland explained the purpose of the Heart Fund Drive and it was decided to take Heart Sunday Solicitation as a Community Service Project. The budget for the year was accepted. Mrs. John Taylor resigned as Secretary and Mrs. F. F. Carr was elected in her place. It was decided to hold a covered dish supper at the meeting in February and to have an Americanism program. Mrs. F. F. Carr, Chairman of National Security and Civil Defense, gave a very excellent talk on the place of the home in our national security. Mrs. Charles Carter, Mrs. Edwin Carter and Mrs. Shearer Robertson served as hostesses.

VERA 4-H CLUB

The Vera 4-H Club held its January meeting Monday. Mr. Trice, of the electric power company gave an interesting demonstration on fixing electrical appliances, each child participating. Mr. R. B. Hudgins introduced the new assistant county agent, Mr. Wilkins. The next meeting will be held in February.

School Cafeteria Menu

Monday, Jan. 17.- Creamed beef on Holland Rusk; green peas and carrols, cranberry jelly, cookie, and milk.

Tuesday, Jan. 18.- Macaroni and cheese, collard greens, sliced cucumber pickle, sausage on hot biscuit, milk.

Wednesday, Jan. 19.- Weinie in roll, pinto beans, cole slaw, milk.

Thursday, Jan. 20.- Beef and vegetable soup, saltines, stuffed celery, doughnut, milk.

Friday, Jan. 21.- Fried fish sticks, boiled cabbage, corn muffins, butter congealed fruit salad, milk.

Birthday List

Faye Ayers, Jan. 11.
Mrs. William Ayers, Jan. 12.
Aubrey McFadden, Jan. 28.
Alton Thomas, Jan. 29.
Mrs. Eddie McFadden, Jan. 30.
Cynthia Carter Richardson, Jan. 16.
O. F. Cheatham, Jan. 9.
Phyllis Clifton, Jan. 5.
Jesse Franklin, Jr., Jan. 6.
Marian Delores Wooten, Jan. 11.
Ruth Sharp, Jan. 11.

Thirteen die in plane crash over Kentucky.

MISS JEAN PEARCE CHARLES E. SHELL WED ON CHRISTMAS

. . . . Mrs. Charles E. Shell

The wedding of Miss Jean Arvin Pearce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cloye Coleman Pearce, Farmville, to Charles Edward Shell, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Franklin Shell, of Crewe, took pace Saturday, Dec. 25 ,at 4:00 P. M. at the Farmville Methodist Church. The Rev. Charles O. Kidd performed the ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father the bride wore a dress of bridal satin appliqued in lace medallions and embroidered in sequins and seed pearls. Her veil of French illusion fell from a cloche of matching satin and lace and she carried a bouquet of roses and stephanotis with an orchid.

Miss Sarah Ann Graham was maid of honor. Other attendants were Miss Pat Shell, sister of the bridegroom; Miss Patsy Sanford and Miss Martha Alice Wilson. They wore dresses of ruby red tulle and carried white velveteen muffs with holly. Mary Lou Martin, cousin of the bride, was flower girl.

Harman H. Shell was his brother's best man. Ushers were William F. Shell, Jr., brother of the bridegroom; Robert E. Shell, Jr., cousin of the bridegroom; William M. Belcher, Jr., all of Crewe, and Robert A. Hubbard, of Farmville.

After a reception in the social hall of the church, the couple left for a Southern wedding trip.

Mrs. Shell is the niece of Mrs. E. Carter Martin, of Appomattox.

PHELPS - BAKER

The marriage of Miss Elizabeth Anderson Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Temple Baker, of Darlington Heights, to Robert Gerald Phelps, of High Point, N. C. son of Mr. and Mrs. John Rueben Phelps, of Ahoskie, N. C. took place at 4 P. M. on Saturday, December 18, in the Spring Creek Baptist Church, with Dr. John B. Cunningham and the Rev. R. P. Welch officiating. The bride is the niece of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Anderson, of Appomattox.

Given in marriage by her father the bride wore a gown with full length train of starlight satin, princess fitted, with godets of Chantilly lace and dropped - shoulder yoke with seed pearl trimming. Her finger-tip veil fell from a tiara of lace and seed pearls and she carried a prayer book with white roses.

Miss Anne Baker, of Richmond, was her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. William E. Johnson, of Farmville, sister of the bride, and Mrs. Kenneth P. Barry, Jr., of Springfield, Mass. They all wore gowns of white taffeta and carried bouquets of red carnations.

Little Peggy Jo Johnson, niece of the bride, was flower girl. Her gown was ful llength of starlight satin, matching that of the bride's, with a red carnation headdress.

J. B. Speight, of Durham, was best man. Ushers were Ryland B Harvey, of Richmond; Bob Hamilton, of Blacksburg, and the Rev. Carroll Welch, and George Shorter, of Darlington Heights.

Mrs. Irving Shorter played the traditional wedding marches and accompanied Mrs. Edward Payne, who sang "At Dawning" and "Because."

A reception followed at the church, after which the couple left for a southern wedding trip.

News Around Town

By
Mrs. Calvin Robinson

I liked this one:

Sadly the father shook his head. "Son, I promised you a bike if you'd get good grades, but you've never had such a poor report card. What have you been doing all the time?"

"Learning to ride a bike, Dad." —Quote.

R. W. Babcock made a nice sale of dark tobacco in Farmville last week. He sold 786 pounds, for a total of $407.60, with a high pile at $65.

S. T. Lee also had a good sale, with 984 pounds, with prices ranging from $34 to $62.

A Pamplin reader has kindly sent us a few items for use in this column. One of them is called "Mother's Lament" and reads—

Baby's in the sugar bowl,
Brother's in the sink,
Puppy's is the baby's bed,
And I'm supposed to think!
Wonder what to have for lunch,
Hope it doesn't rain.
Breakfast dishes to be done,
Time to wash again.
Brother's lost his hat again,
Baby's nose is dripping,
Shoes and stockings cast away,
Brother's pants are slipping.
Soon they'll all be in the mud,
Or more unlikely places.
Yes, Mother's place is in the home -
—A home for mental cases!

It used to be that when a ball club was falling off at the gate, it got some new players. Now it gets a new city. —Wall St. Journal.

The Appomattox Lions Club will meet tonight at 6:45 at Maud's Shop.

Nice buck:— New Year's came with a bang for Jack O. Mayberry of Spout Spring. Saturday morning Jan. 1, he downed a 9-point buck with a perfect set of antlers. It is being mounted by Melvin Mitchell of Evenston.

Anyone who will volunteer to help with the Mothers March in the March of Dimes drive, is urged to call Mrs. T. M. Richardson at once.

A milk producers meeting was held here Tuesday night. Plans are being made to campaign for increased milk drinking over the state.

GOVERNOR APPOINTS COMMITTEE TO PROMOTE PLANTING OF TREES

Richmond, Jan. 12.- Governor Stanley has just sent more than 1,000 letters to Virginians interested in the state's forests, seeking their opinion on a three year "Plant More Trees" program and asking them if willingness to serve on a committee to promote the project.

If the program is executed, thousands of landowners all over the state would be urged to plant many millions of tree seedlings on cut-over and idle land during 1955-57.

The program would be executed jointly by Virginia Forests, Inc. and the Division of Forestry of the Virginia Department of Conservation and Development, with the Governor spearheading it.

As the Governor signed the communications, forestry and conservation leaders gathered in his office. They included Victor W. Stewart, Petersburg, President of Virginia Forests, Inc., and Vice-Chairman State Board of Conservation and Development; Raymond V. Long, Director, Virginia Department of Conservation and Development; George W. Dean, State Forester for the Conservation Department, and William E. Cooper, Executive Director of Virginia Forests, Inc.

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Each week, beginning next week, we will send to your home our tabloid newspaper, called the FOUR LEAF CLOVER. It contains many fine food articles, as well as other features of interest, plus the advertisement of many fine food values to be had in all Clover Farm Stores in this area.

We hope you will accept our invitation to visit our store and we assure you that we will do everything in our power to make your visit both pleasant and profitable.

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Clover Farm Grapefruit Sections	303 CAN	2 for	.35
Clover Farm Red Cup Coffee		lb.	.95
Clover Farm Green Cup Coffee		lb.	.99
Clover Farm Vacuum Packed Coffee		lb.	1.12
Clover Farm Instant coffee	2 oz. can		.59
Clover Farm Marshmellows	Cello. Bag		.19
Kellog's corn flakes	12 OZ. SIZE	2 for	.41
Hershey's cocoa	8 oz.		.39
Bush's Lima Beans	3 cans for		.25
Bush's Great Northern Beans	3 cans		.25
Bush's Pinto Beans	3 cans for		.25

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There is A Reason . . .
why
Appomattox is A Growing Town
and a Good Place to Live . . .

One of our top farmers visited a local business place recently. We rather think you might be interested in what he had to say . . . . . .

He moved in from another state — oh, let us say —"a few years ago." He had done well, but he wanted to better himself. He began looking around. He visited in several states, looking for a place to settle. In some he found wonderful soil; in some he found the land would not produce up to what he desired. In some areas he found that everything was already fully developed and it was just a matter of keeping what you have. And in lots of places he found that there was prosperity, with good markets, but that everything was so high in price that it was hard to "buy in." And so it went.

What he really was looking for was a spot where there was a maximum of opportunity for a fellow who was willing to work.

We should insert here, that that has been the American ideal through all our pioneer generations. *Where can I go, what can I do, where can I invest, where is my best chance at success?*

Well — this fellow we were talking about — he went into lots of states. And finally, after seeing the rest, he bought a farm in Appomattox County, Va.

We were thrilled to hear WHY.

He said that he looked on the map and investigated. Appomattox was right in the center of things, great populations were nearby, and to him that meant MARKETS. Why, if you a cow to sell, there is a nearby market for it. He knew very little about tobacco, but he found that was a good income opportunity. And most of the farms have timber, and for whatever timber you had to offer, there was a ready market for it. And MILK. That appealed to this man. There were Milk Routes, with a steady market. And if you wanted to go in for Grade A milk, why Appomattox was on the ball to haul it to the best markets in the nation. Beef cattle had a top chance here, he found. It just seemed to this fellow, that Central Virginia had EVERYTHING to offer in the way of opportunity. The market outlets meant so much. And then when he got to pricing land, he found that one could "buy in" here at most reasonable prices. In so many other places of good opportunity, it would cost a fortune to buy a place.

Now, listen to what else he had to say:

"You have the finest and friendliest people I have ever known." He says he is happy in the rural church near him. And there is the school, bus, mail man, the milk route. And then he said, that when he came out to town, he found mightly friendly people, and that all of his needs could be met without having to lose a lot of time traveling a great distance for his needs.

To be truthful, we must say that this man was none too happy about the fact that there was no tax inducement for a man to improve his property. But he was doing all right, and was building up his farm as fast as he could. And, most of all, he thought that Central Virginia in general and Appomattox in particular, had the friendliest people and the best opportunity of any place he knew.

We cite this incident, because it makes us feel good to know that we do get results from our efforts to make Appomattox a place of opportunity, and a friendly business town. We try to work together to serve the farmer, the worker, the resident both old and new.

Trade in Appomattox! Do business in your home community! Let us be "all for one, and one for all" in 1955. The purpose of this regular message is to invite each of you to join with us in making Appomattox a Growing Town.

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